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Dear Mr. Van Malderen:

Thank you for your letter and enclosures of August 2, 1995 regarding the above-identified provisional patent applications.

We are acting on your instructions and will send you a detailed response shortly.

We appreciate the opportunity to be of service to you.

Sincerely,

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